between

the Department of Defense of the United States of America

and

the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Uzbekistan

Concerning Cooperation in the Area of Demilitarization of Biological Weapons Associated Facilities and the Prevention of Proliferation of Biological Weapons Technology

Pursuant to Article IX of the Agreement between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Uzbekistan concerning Cooperation in the Area of Demilitarization of Biological Weapons Associated Facilities and the Prevention of Proliferation of Biological Weapons Technology, dated October 22, 2001, as amended July 29, 2003, hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement", the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Uzbekistan hereby agree to amend Article III by replacing the words "sixteen million" with the words "thirty nine million."

This Amendment shall enter into force upon signature and shall remain in force for the duration of the Agreement.

In witness hereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective governments, have signed this amendment.

Done at Washington, this 17 of May, 2004, and Tashkent, this of May, 2004, in duplicate, each in the English and Russian languages. In case of differences in interpretation, the English language text shall prevail.

For
The Department of Defense
of the United States of America:

For The Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Uzbekistan: